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Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 16th January, 1888. dfe8td

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From Clover Valley, Hall's Prairie and Langley Prairie—Friday, 16.
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### The Railway Combine.

Agents of all the leading eastern and transcontinental lines have been notified of the entrance of the Canadian Pacific Railway into the transcontinental association of railway lines in the United States and Canada and circulars have been issued stating the new conditions and advantages accruing to the company from the fact of their belonging to the association. The railway lines which have entered the new association are the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, Atlantic and Pacific, Burlington and Missouri River, California Central, California Southern, Denver and Rio Grande, Denver, Rio Grande and Western, Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific, Oregon and California, Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, Oregon Short Line, St. Louis and San Francisco, Southern Pacific, Texas Pacific, Union Pacific, and the Canadian Pacific. By entering this association the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are allowed differential rates on all Oregon, California and Washington Territory business over the other lines which also belong to the association, and are thereby enabled to quote lower rates to points in these western states than any other railway not in the association. The object of the association is to fix the rates at a standard agreed upon by the association and to prevent any of these transcontinental lines, many of which are competing for the same business, from cutting rates. Arrangements have been made by the C. P. R. by which round trip passengers to and from California may go by the United States lines and return by the Canadian Pacific on a regular return ticket, or *vice versa*, enabling them not only to see the magnificent country through which the American lines run, but also British Columbia and the Canadian northwest. Then again the completion of the new Oregon and California Railway from Portland, Oregon, to San Francisco opens out a new route to California by the C. P. R., giving passengers the choice of a trip by rail from Puget Sound to San Francisco, or by the steamship line of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. The opening up of this new line connecting the terminus of the C. P. R. with San Francisco, as well as the new arrangements about round trip passengers will be a good thing for Canada, as at present all business to the Pacific coast states goes by the Southern American routes. By this new arrangement, a large volume of this extension traffic will go over the C. P. R. and through the Canadian Northwest.

### A Dastardly Act.

Last night between 11 and 12 o'clock, as the Hon. T. B. Humphreys and family were retiring, an explosion took place on the verandah of his residence. Immediately after the occurrence Mrs. Watkins and a young lady residing with the family, rushed out to ascertain the cause of the report. On the porch they observed four cylinders, two of which were about ten inches in length and six inches in diameter, the other two being somewhat smaller, one of which had exploded. Mr. Humphreys, on examining the exploded one, found that the discharge had gone outwards from the house. The others were taken care of by Mr. Humphreys, and are now in the hands of the police, who are investigating the matter. They resemble Chinese bombs more than dynamite cartridges. Footprints of a large-sized boot were discovered this morning, between the house and the gate. The family were considerably upset by the unpleasantness the explosion created, as well as being made to feel uneasy as to what the cartridges contain, and the object the perpetrator of the act had in view.—*Victoria Times.* People thirsting for notoriety have been known to put up just such jobs on themselves; but no one who knows Mr. Humphreys would believe him capable of anything like that.

### The Extradition Treaty.

Mr Riddleberger, that perpetual thorn in the flesh of the senate, managed, in spite of its rules and its presiding officer, to make public yesterday the fact that consideration of the new extradition treaty with Great Britain had been postponed till next December. Mr, Riddleberger and other senators oppose the treaty because, with many other unobjectionable and, indeed, highly desirable provisions, it contains a clause providing for the extradition of dynamiters, even when the motive of their crime is political. It would be quite senseless to discuss this clause in the absence of its exact text. Its spirit is in accord with the new international comity which the employment of dynamite as a political weapon has taught the most liberal nations. It is one thing to protect the political assassin of a despot; quite another to shield a miscreant who makes murderous war indiscriminately upon the innocent occupants of crowded streets and buildings. This same treaty, be it remembered, provides for the extradition of American embezzlers from Canada. We have, in fact, a greater interest in its ratification than Great Britain.—*St. Paul Pioneer-Press.*

## BY TELEGRAPH.

**Commission to be Appointed to Determine the Boundary Between Alaska and British Columbia---Provincial Secretary of Manitoba Absconds.**

**Heavy Guns Cast at Woolwich a Failure ---O'Brien's Speech---Heavy Sentences ---End of the Reading Strike--- The Crown Prince Much Worse.**

### LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Five men were killed to-day by the fall of a bridge over a quarry in Carnarvon, Wales.

THE FISHERIES TREATY.

LONDON, Feb. 17,—There are various and contradictory reports current regarding the fisheries treaty. The *Times*, commenting on the assertions that Canada has conceded much, remarks that Sir Charles Tupper and his colleagues must have secured an equivalent. It adds that it would be rash to take too confident a view of the treaty in the absence of fuller details, but its conclusion is hopeful

THE BATTLE OF FLOWERS.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—The annual carnival closed to-day with the "*Bataille des Fleurs*" (Battle of Flowers.) Usually this is the most charming and attractive day of the carnival. To-day, however, there was very little animation, in spite of the fine weather and the fact that the Prince of Wales had come over from Cannes to join in the fun. The Prince lunched at a well-known restaurant, the London House, and immediately afterwards a break with four horses drew up to the door and H. R. H. got in with a party of friends of both sexes, The break was filled with flowers, and was driven toward the promenade Des Anglais, where it was promptly given a place in the long procession of flower-laden vehicles. The Prince entered into the sport, throwing right and left into the crowd with great impartiality. All Nice is going about to-night with flowers saying, "The Prince gave me this." H. R. H. returned to Cannes after the amusement of the afternoon. Many Americans were among the crowd and a number of titled notabilities, including the Grand Duke of Mecklenberg.

MR. O'BRIEN'S SPEECH.

LONDON, Feb. 17. — Mr. William O'Brien's calm and dignified speech, on his return to parliament after his imprisonment continues to be the political sensation of the day. It produced a remarkable impression. The *Pall Mall Gazette* says this evening: "Mr. O'Brien has won at a single bound a position amongst parliamentary debaters been done during this season, and few things finer during this parliament, then the masterly speech in which the ers of the first rank. Nothing has better late prisoner arraigned his jailor (Balfour) and challenged him face to face to make the insinuations indulged in when his victim was under lock and key." Similar comments appear in other liberal newspapers. The tory whips had pre-arranged that Mr. Balfour should reply to Mr. O'Brien immediately, believing that in this way it would be easy to counteract any impression that the ex-prisoner might succeed in producing. But Mr. Balfour evidently found the task too difficult. At least this is the interpretation put on his silence by those who knew what the programme had been, It was declared on the liberal side that the chief secretary had funked, and the tories did not take any pains to deny their like belief. This view of the case seems strengthened by the opening sentences of Mr. Balfout's reply to-night, which was to the effect that he had wished to take a careful survey of the situation before stating the government's case, and to procure disproof of the assertions that had been made.

### THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

A MISTAKE SOMEWHERE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—It is understood the United States has agreed to modify the terms by which the Canadian vessels, seized in Behring Sea, can be released. The Washington authorities have now agreed to accept as bondsmen residents of California and Oregon rather than insist on residents of Alaska.

A JUST SENTENCE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—August Hettske, who beat his little step-son, Max Gillman, to death with a strap one day last August, has been sentenced to be hanged.

AN INSANE OLD MAN.

AURLINGTON, Iowa, Feb. 18.—Adam Wirt, a farmer over 60 years old, yesterday set fire to his son's house in which the latter's two small children were at the time. The place was soon a pile of ashes. The old man, who was evidently crazy, then went to the barn and hanged himself.

THE NEXT COMMISSION.

OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—It has been arranged that the next international move will be in the direction of the location of the boundary line between British Columbia and Alaska. In the event of a satisfactory settlement of the fishery question the matter is to be submitted to a commission on which England will be represented.

A PROVINCIAL SECRETARY ABSCONDS.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 18.—Hamilton and Wilson, late members of the Norquay government, have resigned their seats in the legislature and will leave for St. Paul at once. One result of the appointment of special auditors by the new government was the flight yesterday of Gideon Bourdeau, queen's printer and provincial secretary, who has fled across the line. His accounts have not yet been examined, but the deficiency is believed to be in the neighborhood of $10,000.

A RICH FIND.

LONGVIEW, Tex., Feb. 18.—A child playing in the yard of a barber named George Tibbet, yesterday discovered a one dollar silver piece buried in a mound of earth. A excavation was made and one thousand silver dollars in addition were found. Tibbet is under arrest charged with complicity in the murder of D. C. Hill, treasurer of Carthage county, who was found dead in his office with his head severed from his body a few days ago.

HEAVY SENTENCES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Judge Foohy this morning sentenced Juluis Maunn, convicted of forging a death certificate, to pay a fine of $3000 or serve as many days in the county jail. Michael A. Stern received 25 years in San Quentin for robbery.

ARRIVED FROM COPENHAGEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—John A. Benson, indicted for fraudulent government land surveys, and arrested in Copenhagen, arrived here this morning accompanied by U. S. Marshal Franks.

END OF THE GREAT STRIKE.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—The Reading strike ended to-day. Close calculations place the losses to men and railroad hands at $192,000; miners, $1,680,000. Loss to company unascertained, but is expected to aggregate many times what was lost by the men.

THE CROWN PRINCE WORSE.

SAN REMO, Feb. 18.—The prince's condition is very much worse this morning, and the aspect is regarded as serious. His sleep last night was very much troubled and broken. An incision in the throat necessary for the operation of tracheotomy shows no marked signs of healing. The doctors agree in saying that the change in the patient's condition which set in last night is the most serious that has yet shown itself in the case.

USELESS HEAVY GUNS.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—It is stated that ten heavy guns, of nine and two-tenths inches bore, destined for the Australian defences and just finished by a Woolich factory, are failures.

TO GO TO THE SENATE ON MONDAY.

WASHINGTON; Feb. 18.—The new treaty negotiated between the U. S. and Great Britain, relative to the settlement of the Canadian fisheries dispute, will be sent to the senate on Monday. Probably it will then be given to the public. The president is now engaged in writing the message to accompany it, and it is understood that before the treaty goes to the senate the president's message will be read to the cabinet. This message will refer to the friction that formerly existed between this government and Canada, and will state that the treaty as ratified will practically relieve all existing controversies.

### THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

SOCIALISTS RELEASED.

DUBLIN, Feb. 18.—The member of parliament for Lanarkshire and John Burns, the socialist leader, convicted of having taken part in an unlawful assembly in Trafalgar square and sentenced to six weeks imprisonment each, were released to-day. A crowd gathered around the prison and when they emerged they were given a great ovation,

ANOTHER EDITOR RELEASED.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—John Hooper, M. P. for Cork, and editor of the Cork *Herald*, sentenced to two months imprisonment for publishing reports of meetings of suppressed branches of the national league, was released from Tullamore jail to-day.

LOTS OF GOOD INDIANS.

EDMONTON, N.W.T., Feb. 18.—Mr. Cunningham, a member of the Northwest council, has just returned from a trip to Lac La Biche and reports the condition of the Indians there deplorable. The Indians have been cut off from government assistance since the Reil rebellion and are now raiding settlers and eating them out of provisions by begging. The state of affairs in Edmonton district is no better and the Indians are actually dying of starvation.

EARTHQUAKES.

FORT BRAGG, Cal., Feb. 18.—Three severe shocks of earthquake occurred this morning; they were also felt at Medocino.

### Delta Council.

The council met at the town hall on Saturday Feb. 4th. Pesent: The Reeve and Councillors Arthur, Benson, Pybus and Kittson. A communication from the Hon. Provincial Secretary was received and filed. Councillor Pybus gave notice that he would introduce a highway by-law at next meeting of council. The Reeve and Coun. Arthur were appointed as delegates to wait upon the government. Coun. Kittson gave notice that he would introduce a revenue by-law at next meeting of council. Council then adjourned.

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Saturday Evening, Feb. 18, 1888.

A good many of the most respectable and influential newspapers of the United States are greatly disappointed at the action of congress in postponing the consideration of the new extradition treaty with Great Britain and Canada. The cause of this postponement is a fear that prompt action might influence the votes of Irish fenians and German anarchists. The new treaty contains a clause providing for the extradition of dynamiters, even when the motive of their crime is political. Of this clause the St. Paul *Pioneer-Press* says: "Its spirit is in accord with the new international comity which the employment of dynamite as a political weapon has taught the most liberal nations." But it is well known that the United States has become the principal asylum of the firebrands who have been resorting to dynamite as one of the chief agencies for leveling European society, and the votes of this class are too numerous to be despised by the party managers. If the American congress refuses to accept the new treaty, however, the American people need not blame Great Britain or Canada for refusing to give up her boodlers. We do not want them, and shall be only too happy to give them up, but it's a poor rule that doesn't work both ways.

Mr. Higgins has introduced into the provincial legislature a bill to amend the ballot act, in which, among other things, he proposes to simplify the ballot paper. In some respects the simplification suggested is excellent, but we think he proposes to carry it too far. In the ballot papers now used there is a perpendicular line at each side of the candidate's name, and the voter is supposed to make his mark to the right of that line. In the forms submitted by Mr. Higgins the perpendicular lines are entirely omitted, and the voter's mark may be placed anywhere to the right of the name of the candidate for whom he wishes to vote. We think this is a good idea, because it gives more room for the mark, and, consequently, will tend to prevent mistakes. But the form of ballot proposed bears only the names of the candidates, without giving profession, occupation, or residence. Now, it might very easily happen that two candidates of the same name would be nominated for the same office, and in such a case it would be quite impossible for the voter to distinguish one from the other. If there are two John Smiths, for example, on the ballot paper, without any other particulars, how can a voter tell which Smith he is voting for? If one of the Smith's is a merchant, however, and the other is a doctor, and they are so described on the ballot paper, the difficulty is removed. We think this defect is fatal to the proposed ballot paper. If Mr. Higgins will content himself with removing the perpendicular lines he will be wise to let his amendment stop there.

In his very interesting report on Canadian penitentiaries Inspector Moylan calls attention to the impropriety of permitting all classes of criminals to associate together under such circumstances. In such institutions there are always a number of hardened criminals who seem to be utterly beyond the reach of any good influence; and there are also young men who do not really belong to the criminal class, but who, under great temptation, or by reason of intoxication, have committed the first penal offence. The inspector shows that the result of bringing these two classes together in years of intimate companionship is not to elevate the hardened wretches but to harden the inexperienced. In the provincial prison in this city there is a boy of about 16 years of age undergoing a long sentence for larceny. The arrangements of the prison are such that he must necessarily find companionship among persons many of whom have become habitual criminals, and who take delight in bringing all their associates down to the level they themselves have reached. Under other circumstances there is no reasen to believe that this young lad, with proper instruction and influences, might not be entirely reformed and rescued from the sad consequences of a criminal life; but so long as he is forced to remain in contact with the classes usually found within prison walls, it is to be feared the work of reform will be exceedingly barren of results, and he may go out a very much worse boy than he was when he entered. One of the chief objects of all such institutions ought to be the reformation of those committed to them, and if this object is to be accomplished it is of the greatest importance that the prisoners be classified. We hope the government will give attention to this question, and that some scheme may be devised that will lessen the obstacles in the way of reclaiming prisoners from lives of crime.

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## TEMPERANCE AND INTEMPERANCE.

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I. O. G. T.—Every Friday, 8 p.m., Orange Hall.

R. T. of T.—Second and fourth Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., Forrester's Hall.

W. C. T. U.—Second Wednesday of each month, 3 p.m., basement of Baptist Church.

### Where There's Drink There's Danger.

Write it on the liquor store:
Write it on the prison door:
Write it on the gin shop fine:
Write, aye write the truthful line—
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it on the workshop gate:
Write it on the school boy's slate:
Write it in the copy book,
That the young may at it look,
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it on the churchyard mound,
Where the drink-slain dead are found:
Write it on the gallows high:
Write it for all passers by,
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it underneath your feet:
Up and down the busy street:
Write for the great and small,
In the mansion, cot and hall,
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it on our ships which sail,
Borne along by steam and gale:
Write it in large letters plain,
O'er our land and past the main,
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it in the Christian home,
Sixty thousand drunkards roam,
Year by year, from God and right:
Proving with resistless might
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it deep on history's page,
Write it, patriot, scholar, sage:
Write it in the Sunday-school:
Write, ah write the truthful rule,
Where there's drink there's danger.

Write it for our rising youth:
Write it for the cause of truth:
Write it for our fatherland:
Write, 'tis duty's stern command,
Where there's drink there's danger.

### Will You take the Responsibility?

If men could see the *last* glass, how many are there that would take the first? If they could glance over the race which they are to run, and see just where their journey is to end, how few there are who would enter upon the dangerous road! But the future is hidden, and the present seems all serene; and while "the prudent man forseeth the evil and hideth himself," "the simple pass on and are punished."

Often they travel the downward path unthinkingly, but sometimes the dangers of an evil course are brought sharply to the notice of those who enter upon it, and they shrink back with a shudder, as they think of the risk they are running.

A young man in Virginia had been sadly intemperate. He was a man of great capability, fascination, and power; but he had a passion for brandy which nothing could control. Often in his walks a friend remonstrated with him, but in vain; as often in turn would he urge his friend to take the social glass in vain. On one occasion the latter agreed to yield to him, and as they walked up to the bar together, the barkeeper said:

"Gentlemen, what will you have?"

"Wine, sir," was the reply.

The glasses were filled, and the friends were ready to pledge each other in renewed and eternal friendship, when the young man paused and said to his intemperate friend:

"Now if I drink this glass, and become a drunkard, *will you take the responsibility?*"

The drunkard looked at him with a severity and said:

"*Set down that glass!*"

It was set down, and the two walked away without saying a word.

Well does the drunkard know the fearful consequences which follow from taking the first glass. Maddened as he may be by an appetite which he cannot resist, he is unwilling to assume the responsibility of leading another in the course he is treading. And if many a liquor dealer who asks for a license to traffic in the souls of men were asked, as he pays his money, "Are you willing to assume the responsibility, the ruin of health, the broken hearts, the loss of life, the waste of property, the breaking up of families, the blighting of hopes and the damnation of hell, that waits upon the traffic upon strong drink?" are there not some who would say, "take back the license; let me rather live a life of poverty, and of toil, than win the wealth and comforts of this world, by spreading ruin and desolation among my fellow men!"

### A Quaker's Advice.

An elderly gentleman accustomed to "indulge" entered the room of a certain inn, where sat a sedate old quaker by the fire. Lifting a pair of green spectacles up on his forehead, rubbing his inflamed eyes and calling for hot brandy and water, he complained to the friend that his eyes were getting weaker and weaker and the spectacles did not seem to do him any good. "I'll tell thee, friend," replied the quaker, "what I think. If thee were to wear the spectacles over the mouth for a few months thy eyes would soon get well again."

A quaker was advising a drunkard to leave off his habit of drinking intoxicating liquors. "Can you tell me how to do it?" said the slave of the appetite. "Yes," answered the quaker, "it is just as easy as to open my hand, friend." "Convince me of that, and I will promise you my word and honor to do as you tell me," replied the drunkard. "Well, my friend, when thou findest any vessel of intoxicating liquor in thy hand, open the hand that contains it before it reaches thy mouth and thou wilt never be drunk again."

The brewers claim that they lose money on every keg of book beer sold. But that is not so bad as it is with the consumers. They lose on every glass purchased.

## A Creaking Hinge

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**Rheumatism,**

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L. P. ECKSTEIN,
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4th Feb., 1888. dwfe4td

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GOVERNMENT OFFICE GARDENS. Block A.

Lots 14, 15, & 20.

VICTORIA GARDENS—Block B.

Lots 4, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 30, 35 & 36.

ST. PATRICK'S SQUARE—Block D.

Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 & 35.

CLINTON PLACE RESERVE—Block F

Lots 19, 20, 30, 31, 34 & 35.

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE—Block H.

Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 & 42.

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By Order,

JAMES A. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
New West., 17th Feb., 1888. dfe17td

## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Honorable the Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the south-east ¼ of sec. 21, south ½ of secs. 22 & 23, also the northerly portions of secs. 14 & 15, and the easterly 80 acres of Lot 228, together with the north-easterly portions of 16, all lying north of the Moodyville Co.'s limits in Township 39, New Westminster District.

GEORGE BUTCHART.
Port Moody, B.C., Feb. 9, 1888. dfe10m1

## KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the reservation placed upon certain lands in Kootenay District, in consideration of the provisions of the "Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Transportation Company Act, 1883," notice of which was published in the "British Columbia Gazette" and dated 23rd May, 1883, has been cancelled, and that the lands referred to will be open to sale and pre-emption one month from the date hereof.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 25th Jan., 1888. dja30m1

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Swordfishing is not one of the aquatic sports in which the landsman visitor to the island named for the Dutch explorer, Adrian Block, can participate, writes a correspondent from Block Island. He may troll for bluefish, and if they are "bitish," as our skipper calls it, catch some; he may jig for mackerel, he may drift for flounders, and he may indulge in other piscatorial diversions, but swordfishing is reserved for the experienced old salt.

The rig is quite simple. The spearman stands at the extremity of the bowsprit in what is called the pulpit. The pulpit is variously constructed.

The simplest form consists of a strong perpendicular iron rod, as high as a man's waist, fastened at the lower end into the bowsprit and at the upper end bearing a half circle of iron which fits around the harpooner's waist. A strap completes the circle and holds the occupant of the pulpit safely.

It requires three men at least to man a swordfish vessel. One man sits upon the crosstree or "stretcher" at the junction of the mainmast and topmast, and keeps a lookout. A second man acts as helmsman and the third occupies the pulpit. The lookout sights the swordfish lying at the surface of the water, lazily basking in the sun, the animal's back and fins being well out. As it is generally when they are sunning themselves that they are caught, it follows that a cloudy day is not favorable for the pursuit. On a clear day they come up about 9 a. m. They are very listless—until struck—and the vessel approaches until the fish is almost under the bowsprit, when the harpooner strikes, and then there is excitement and danger.

The harpoon is a curious implement. It is made in two parts, the pole and the spear. The pole is made, perhaps, an inch and a half or two inches in diameter and six or eight feet long. The spear is a detached piece of brass about four inches long, shaped like an arrow and looking like a miniature weather vane. The rope is attached to this in the middle. It is then fitted upon the end of the pole, point downward. When the harpooner strikes he drives the harpoon into, and sometimes through, the fish, and withdraws the pole. The little brass spear which is left in the body turns crosswise as soon as the line tautens and cannot slip.

Upon being struck the fish is thrown into a fury. Sometimes in its darting it will plunge its sword through the skiff. Our skipper once had such an experience and he stopped the hole with his foot until he had secured his game, and then mended the fracture. The captain, to illustrate the force of the fish said that he was once on a mackerel schooner, when a swordfish struck her bottom, drove its sword into its eyes, broke it off, and floated up to the vessel's side dead. It did this in "breaching" and not in a premeditated attack. Breaching is swimming swiftly to the surface, leaping into the air and diving to sound the depth of the water. The fish changes its course with difficulty, and the attack just mentioned was doubtless unintentional. The captain said he had seen them breach fifteen and twenty feet into the air.

The fish weigh from 200 to 500 pounds apiece. Your correspondent saw one which had a sword about four feet long. The sword is solid bone, runs out straight from the snout, is about three inches wide at the head and tapers gradually to a rounded extremity an inch and a half wide. The fish sells for 18 cents a pound at retail in the market, and is a great delicacy. The fishermen, however, obtain only from 3 to 6 cents a pound according to the abundance of the catch.

### Notes on Italy.

Italy enjoys a government almost as free as that of a republic, and naturally Italians take great interest in the United States of America. Even the nobility shows wonderful interest in our government which certainly does not favor them and their ilk. The Italian nobility is remarkably democratic in its tendencies and not at all imbued with the asinine arrogance and assumptions which characterize the nobility of some other European countries. There are numerous impecunious counts, marquises and princes who are to lazy and stupid to earn their daily bread, on the hunt for American heiresses; and there always will be silly creatures that allow themselves to be hoodwinked into marriage by the pleasant sounding titles of nobility.

The Italian is a habitual smoker and likes to sip his coffee or wine in the many cafes of all grades. And then he likes to make a great deal of noise. I have seen men converse on ordinary topics with the violence characteristic of a first class brawl in our country.

"Sale e Tabacchi" is a sign that confronts us every where—it is the government monopoly of salt and tobacco. The government prepares and sells all tobacco in Italy. Much American tobacco is imported by the government and made up into cigars, cigarettes and smoking tobacco, after chemical extraction of the nicotine for the benefit of the public welfare. The cigars are named after the great statesman and such men as Minghetti and Cavour are cremated at least a million times a day. The best cigar is the "Minghetti," which costs about four cents apiece. But the cigars are not much to the taste of Americans and the heavy duty on all tobacco prevents importation of foreign tobacco. Every hotel-waiter however displays with great ostentation a stock of smuggled Swiss cigars for which a large price is asked.

The common beverage of the country is wine, but it is not indulged in to excess. In the great Insane Asylum at Siena there are comparatively few cases of insanity resulting from the excessive use of intoxicants. Italian wines are very good, but might be improved by proper treatment. Adulteration hardly pays in a country where grapes are cheap, but it is nevertheless carried on. There is a story current which does not speak well for the Neopolitans. The scene is the death-bed of a Neopolitan wine-merchant who is initiating his promising son into the secrets of his business. The closing words summarizing his life-long experience are: "You see, my son, wine can be made from all things, even from grapes."

### Rather an Extensive Family.

They were speaking of certain trades in England being carried on by particular families; and with one accord they buttoned up their coats over their chainless waistcoats and coupled pawnbroking with the name of Attenborough. "I can give you a better illustration," said a distinguished Frenchman who has just finished a book upon England; "and that is the business of letting out carriages, as not only do the proprietors all bear the same surname, but the same Christian name as well." "How do you make that out?" they asked. "'Job' is a Christian name, is it not?" "Yes," they replied. "And so is 'Master,' eh?" Again they assented. "Well, then, all the livery-stable people I know are called 'Job Master.'"

### What He Thought.

At Glasgow, in a private house, Dr. Ivon Buclow, having been asked by his hostess what he thought of her piano, replied in these words, "Madam, your piano leaves something to be desired." "It needs new strings," he added, in answer to the lady's inquiries as to what it really required. "The hammers, too, want new leather," he continued; "and, while you are about it, with the new leather you may as well have new wood. Then, when the inside of your piano has been completely renovated," he concluded, having now worked himself into a rage, "call in two strong men, throw it out of the window, and burn it in the street!"


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Ayer's Pills are a superior family medicine. They strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, create an appetite, and remove the horrible depression and despondency resulting from Liver Complaint. I have used these Pills in my family, for years, and they never fail to give entire satisfaction.—Otto Montgomery, Oshkosh, Wis. ††

## Ayer's Pills,

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine.


## Business Directory.

The following Business Directory relates only to persons whose advertisements appear in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN. It has been found true, as a rule, that persons who advertise liberally are liberal in their dealings, and many persons make it a rule to give preference in their dealings to those establishments which advertise freely. The following list is arranged alphabetically:

**LEGAL.**

T. C. Atkinson.....Columbia St
W. Norman Bole.....Columbia St
Corbould & McColl.....McKenzie St

**MEDICAL.**

Dr. H. M. Cooper.....Church St
Dr. John Garrow.....McKenzie st
Dr. I. M. McLean.....McKenzie St
Dr. DeWolfe Smith.....Clarkson St

**DENTAL.**

C. E. C. Brown.....Columbia st
E. A. Smith.....McKenzie st
F. Welsh.....Colonial Hotel

**INSURANCE.**

W. J. Armstrong.....Court House
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
T. R. Pearson.....Columbia St
Rand Bros.....McKenzie St
Turner, Beeton & Co.....Victoria
Woods, Turner & Gamble.....Columbia St

**REAL ESTATE AGENCIES.**

W. N. Bole.....Columbia St
Corbould & McColl.....McKenzie St
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
Rand Bros.....McKenzie St
Woods, Turner & Gamble.....Columbia St

**ARCHITECT, &c.**

Clow & Maclure.....Columbia st
G. W. Grant.....McKenzie St

**CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.**

Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st

**FURNITURE.**

W. E. Fales.....Columbia st
P. Peebles.....Columbia st

**UNDERTAKING.**

W. E. Fales.....Columbia st

**BRICK-MAKERS.**

Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st

**AUCTIONEERS.**

T. J. Trapp.....Columbia St

**AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.**

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver

**MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.**

H. Peters.....Victoria, B. C.

**PRINTING & RULING.**

The Columbian Steam Printing Establishment.....Columbia St

**STOVES & TINWARE.**

H. M. Cunningham & Co.....Columbia St

**GAS FITTINGS.**

H. M. Cunningham & Co.....Columbia St

**GENERAL MERCHANDISE.**

W. R. Austin.....Front St
C. G. Major.....Columbia St
C. McDonough.....Front St

**DRY GOODS, &c.**

A. J. Birne.....Columbia st
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia St
C. G. Major.....Columbia st
C. McDonough.....Front st

**GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.**

W. R. Austin.....Front st
C. McDonough.....Front st
C. G. Major.....Columbia st

**FANCY GOODS.**

Kwong on Wo & Co.....Front st

**LAUNDRIES.**

Joe Qui.....Dallas st

**TAILORING.**

Morris & Dick.....Columbia st

**DRESSMAKING.**

Misses Carr & McRae.....Columbia st
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia st
Miss Jennings.....Columbia st
Misses McDougall.....Columbia st

**WOOD & COAL.**

W. R. Austin.....Front st

**DRUGS, &c.**

D. S. Curtis & Co.....Columbia St
A. M. Herring.....Columbia st

**BUTCHERS.**

Robt. Dickinson.....Columbia St

**WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS**

F. Crake.....Columbia St
Thomas Gifford.....Front st
F. Stirsky.....Columbia st

**BLACKSMITHING & CARRIAGE WORKS.**

Thos. Ovens.....Columbia St
Reid & Currie.....Columbia St

**HOTELS.**

Farmers Home [Holden].....Church St
St. Alice Hotel.....Harrison Hot Springs

**LIVERY, &c.**

Mainland Transfer Co.....Columbia St

**BOOTS & SHOES.**

Grant & Maclure.....Columbia st
H. Kells.....Columbia St
W. C. Loye.....Clarkson st
James Rousseau.....Columbia st

**BAKERY.**

A. Diebel.....Front St

**NURSERIES.**

G. W. Henry.....Port Hammond

**MONUMENTAL.**

Rudge & Monck.....New Westminster

**SOAP MANUFACTURERS.**

Pendray & Co.....Victoria


## W. C. LOYE,

**Fashionable Boot and Shoe Maker.**

Repairing Neatly Done. Cork Sole Work a Specialty.

☞ Orders promptly attended to.

Clarkson St., in rear of Colonial Hotel, next to Rand Bros.' office. dwc1tc

## City Laundry

**JOE QUI.**

HAVING LEASED AND FITTED UP a Shop on Dallas Street, nearly opposite Mr. Wise's Stable, is now prepared to undertake the work of a

**General Laundry.**

Competent men employed, and work guaranteed. Having engaged a Wagon for delivery, clothes will be delivered promptly in any part of the city. First-class references given if required. A trial order solicited. Prices will be found as low as in any first-class establishment. Families taken at special rates

☞ Orders may be left at Mr. Dickinson's Butcher Shop, Columbia St. dja5tc

Over 6,000,000 PEOPLE USE

## FERRY'S SEEDS

D. M. FERRY & CO. are admitted to be the Largest Seedsmen in the world. D. M. FERRY & CO'S Illustrated, Descriptive and Priced SEED ANNUAL For 1888 will be mailed FREE TO ALL applicants, and to last season's customers without ordering it. Invaluable to all. Every person using Garden, Field or Flower Seeds should send for it. Address

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## Loan Office!

MONEY LOANED

On Watches, Pistols, Plate, or Goods of Any Description.

**Second-Hand Furniture**

BOUGHT & SOLD.

**ADVANCES MADE**

On Household Goods or Property of any kind.

**Lots! Lots! Lots!**

Building Lots sold in any part of the Town on Monthly Installments to suit Purchasers. No interest charged.

All business strictly confidential.

**WILLIAM REIDT**

FRONT STREET,

☞ Next Door to Caledonia Hotel.

dwja30tc

### Reserve.—Kootenay District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following described blocks of land have been reserve from sale or settlement until further notice, viz:—

1st. Commencing at the head of the West Arm of Kootenay Lake, on the south bank of the outlet, thence south two miles; thence west two miles; thence north two miles, more or less, to the Kootenay River; thence following the windings of said river to the point of commencement.

2nd. Commencing at the mouth of Bear Creek, opposite Fort Shepherd; thence northerly along the Columbia River, 10 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains, more or less, to the Columbia River; thence following the bank of the said river to the point of commencement.

3rd. Beginning at the north-east corner of the Hudson Bay Company's land at Fort Shepherd; thence west one mile; thence north two miles; thence east one mile, more or less, to the Columbia River; thence south along the bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

4th. A square block of forty acres fronting on the east side of the Columbia River, on the flat about two miles north of the mouth of Kootenay River known as "Sproat's Landing."

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 26th Jan., 1888. dja30m1


## W. R. AUSTIN,

DEALER IN

## General Merchandise!

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

## Hay and Feed

**MARKET.**

## WOOD & COAL

(THE BEST QUALITY).

**Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes, Provisions & Groceries.**

FARMERS' HARDWARE,

**Rope, &c.**

☞ As we use no whisky or tobacco we can, by temperate habits and careful economy, serve the public at especially low rates. dwja12tc

## MACHINERY

OF ALL MAKES AND DESCRIPTIONS SUPPLIED ON SHORT NOTICE, INCLUDING FULL OUTFITS FOR

**Mining, Sawmills, Steamboats**

SHINGLE MILLS, PLANING MILLS,

**Sash and Door Factories, Machine Shops, Foundries, &c.**

NEW & SECOND-HAND STATIONARY AND PORTABLE

## ENGINES & BOILERS

OF THE FOLLOWING MAKES:

Armington & Sims; Doty, Goldie & McCulloch; Stevens & Burns, and others.

We make a specialty of Mill, Mining and Steam Supplies, including:

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| Steam Pumps, | Brick Machines, |
| Lubricating Oils, | Hoisting Block, |
| Rubber Belting, | Ships Blocks, |
| Leather Belting, | Hardware, |
| Emery Wheels, | Harness, |
| Jacket Fire & Mill Hose, | Show Cases, |
| | Gas Machines, |
| Barb Wire, | Builders' Supplies, |
| Wire Rope, | Brass Goods, |
| Rock Drills, | Fairbanks Scales, |
| Axes & Edge Tools, | Iron Tools, |
| Paints and Oils, | Iron Piping, |
| Sheathing Paper, | Lubricating Cups, |
| Ready Roofing, | Plumbers' Goods. |

Send for circular of McAvity's Patent One Handle "Boiler Feeder"

## FRASER & LEONARD,

Cambie St., Opp. News Office.

VANCOUVER, B. C

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## Fashionable Dressmaking!

MISSES CARR & McRAE, LATE OF Seattle, have opened a dressmaking establishment at the Bon Marche, where they will be prepared to fill all orders for Dressmaking in first-class style and according to latest fashions. Having had considerable experience in some of the large cities, we feel sure we can give satisfaction. A call is solicited. dja24tc

**PORT HAMMOND**

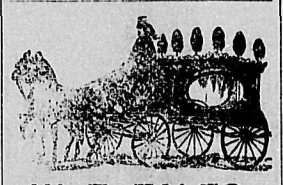
## NURSERY

**Fruit Trees,**
**Ornamental Trees,**
**Small Fruits,**

And GARDEN STOCK on hand in great variety.

Everything first-class and furnished in good shape.

G. W. HENRY,
dw-de16tc Port Hammond, B. C.



## W. E. FALES,

**PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER.**

Embalming a Specialty.

Dealer in Wooden and Metallic Burial Caskets. Funerals Conducted.

A full line of Coffin Trimmings always on hand. Parties at a distance supplied at shortest notice. Satisfaction guaranteed in every particular.

dwoc1tc COLUMBIA ST. New West'r.

## To San Francisco, Cal.,

BY WAY OF THE

**Oregon and California R. R.**

AND CONNECTIONS.

**THE MT. SHASTA ROUTE.**

Quicker in Time than any other Route between

**New Westminster and San Francisco.**

Grand Scenic Route of the Pacific Coast.

**PULLMAN BUFFET SLEEPERS**

EXCURSION SLEEPERS

For Second-Class Passengers on all Through Trains, free of charge.

Fare from Portland to Sacramento and San Francisco: Unlimited, $25; First Class (Limited), $20; Second Class (Limited), $15.

R. KOEHLER, Manager.
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## Marvellous Reduction!

## IN BOOKS.

Any of the following Works bound in Cloth, in Black and Gold Stamp, with Silk Marker, for

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Robinson Crusoe.
Arabian Nights Entertainments.
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Scottish Chiefs.
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Children of the Abbey.
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Vicar of Wakefield.
Paul and Virginia.
Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress.
Bunyan's Holy War.
Gulliver's Travels.
Child's History, Eng.
Æsop's Fables.
Baron Munchausen.
Last Days of Pompeii.
Ivanhoe.
Waverley.
Guy Mannering.
Stories, French History.
Tom Brown's School Days at Rugby.
Dog Crusoe.
Gorilla Hunters.
Wild Man of the West.
Gascoyne, the Sandle-wood Trader.
Freaks on the Fells.
Shifting Winds.
Floating Light.
Bear Hunters.
Kangaroo Hunters.
American Family Robinson.
Adventures in Canada.
Under the Holly; or Christmas at Hopeton House.
A Million too Much, A temperance tale.
The Two Bequests; or, Heavenward Led.
Gavroche, the Gamin of Paris.
Grimm's Popular Tales.
Grimm's Household Stories.
French Fairy Tales.
Standard Fairy Tales.
Northern Lights.
Lady Green Satin & Her Maid Rosette.
Pickwick Papers.
Martin Chuzzlewit.
Oliver Twist, Italy & American Notes.
David Copperfield.
Nicholas Nickleby.
The Vicissitudes of Bessie Fairfax.
Katerfelto; A Story of Exmoor.
Valentine the Countess.
Chaste as Ice, Pure as Snow.
Complete Letter Writer.
Prehistoric World.
History; Stories from English History.—Tales from.
Ancient History.—True Stories from.
Modern History.—True Stories from.
Pique. A Tale of the English Aristocracy.
Orange Blossoms.
Bar Rooms at Brantly.
Cook's Voyages Around the World.
Battles of the Republic.
Camp-fires of Napoleon.
Romance of Revolution.
Remarkable Events in World's History.
Evening Amusem'ts
Modern Classics.
Travelers in Africa.
In the Arctic Seas.
Children's Bible Stories.
Lady of the Lake.
Queens of American Society.
Memorable Scenes in French History.
Frontier Life. Tales of Southwestern Border.
Celebrated Female Sovereigns.
Pioneer Women of the West.
Daring Deeds of American Heroes.
Thrilling Adventures on Land and Sea.
Modern Story Teller
Christmas Stories.
Sea and Shore.
King of Conjurers.
Speeches. Dan. Webster.
Dan'l Webster. Life of.
Napoleon. Life of.
Geo. Washington.—Life of.
Dan'l Boone. Life of
David Crockett. Life of.
Henry Clay. Life of.
Andrew Jackson.—Life of.
Zachary Taylor. Life of.
Henry VIII and His Six Wives.
Oliver Cromwell.—Life of.
Empress Josephine. Life of.
Duchess of Orleans. Life of.
Catherine II, Empress of Russia.—Life of.
Lady Jane Gray.—Life of.
Joan of Arc, Maid of Orleans. Life of.
John Quincy Adams. Life of.
William H. Harrison Life of.
Patrick Henry. Life of.
Old Curiosity Shop and reprinted pieces.
Barnaby Rudge, and Hard Times.
Bleak House.
Little Dorrit.
Dombey & Son.
In the Days of My Youth.
Gentianella.
Underground City.
Tour of the World in Eighty Days.
At the North Pole.
Desert of Ice.
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea.
Wreck of the Chancellor.
Whimsicalities, Whims & Oddities.
Miscellanies and Hood's Own.
Up the Rhine.
Christm's Books. Uncommercial Traveller & additional Christmas Stories.
Tale of Two Cities & Great Expectations.
Our Mutual Friend.
Edwin Drood, Sketches, Master Humphries' Clock, etc.
Three in Norway

*Mailed free to any Address on receipt of Price.*

## B. C. STATIONERY CO'Y,

NEXT DOOR TO POSTOFFICE,

**VICTORIA, - B. C.**

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**FIRE INSURANCE COMP'Y,**

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**INSTITUTED 1803.**

FOR INSURING HOUSES & OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Vessels; also, Ships building and repairing, Barges and other Vessels on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland and in Foreign Countries.

**FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.**

Subscribed and Invested Capital,

**£1,600,000 STG.**

Rates of Premium and every information can be obtained on application to

W. J. ARMSTRONG,
Agent for New Westminster.

## Confederation Life

ASSOCIATION.

Guarantee Capital.....$1,000,000

**Full Gov'm't Deposit**

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, CANADA

A HOME COMPANY.

This Association merits the confidence the Public is reposing in it from the following FACTS:—

The Security offered to policy holders is unsurpassed by any Company doing business in Canada.

It has no schemes of insurance, but the well-established lines, hence the policy holders cannot be misled as to their contracts.

Its statements to the public can be readily understood, its cash statement showing every item of income and how expended.

Its position is ascertained annually from a detailed valuation in which every item of liability is included.

Its progress has been unexampled in the history of insurance in Canada.

Its policies are indisputable after three years, and non-forfeitable after two years' existence.

Its profits are distributed upon an equitable basis. The profits to one class of policy holders are not lessened to give larger profits to any other class, which method affords superior advantages over the uniform bonus plan of distribution.

Liberal Conditions as to Residence and Travel.

J. K. MacDONALD,
Managing Director.

## T. R. PEARSON

Agent, New Westminster

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## C. G. MAJOR,

DEALER & IMPORTER IN

## Dry Goods

CLOTHING

—AND—

## GROCERIES

JUST RECEIVED IN DRY GOODS,

**A NEW STOCK**

In all shades and material of DRESS GOODS, including Cashmeres, Merinos, Silks, Satins, Black and Colored Velveteens and Plushes. COTTONS (bleached and unbleached). LININGS, BUTTONS, HOLLANDS, &c. Grey, White, Scarlet and Checked FLANNELS. LADIES GLOVES, in Cotton, Wool, Silk and Kid. Ladies Merino and Lamb Wool Vests. JERSEYS, all prices. Hosiery, Muslins, Diaper Irish Linen, Brilliants, &c., &c.

**Men's Clothing!**

For Quality, Style, Fit and Price, can't be touched.

**MEN'S FURNISHINGS**

In every Line Cotton, Merino and Wool Underwear, White Shirts, Cuffs, Collars, Gloves, Braces, Cardigan Jackets, &c. Also, Cotton, Merino, Cashmere, Lambs Wool and Knit SOCKS, in great variety.

Also, HATS and CAPS, Ladies' and Gents' RUBBER GOODS and UMBRELLAS.

**In House Furnishing Goods**

Carpets, Rugs, Window Poles with Rings and Mountings, Window Holland (Buff, Green and Striped), Damask and Cretonnes, Sheetings, Towels, White Counterpanes, Bleached and Unbleached Table Linens, Napkins, Tickings, Blankets and Arctic-down Quits, Table Cloths and Covers.

**IN GROCERIES**

Everything found in a first-class Establishment, and none but the best. Canned Goods, Fruits, Meats and Vegetables.

I don't offer Cheap Goods. I don't buy them or keep them, but I offer you the best and at the lowest price they can be sold at, and you get what we represent them.

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## CLEARANCE SALE

—AT—

## Blackett & White's!

To secure GENUINE BARGAINS go to Blackett & White's, of Langley. They have decided to reduce their large stock of

**DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES**

AND

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

And offer for the next 90 Days,

**At Sweeping Reductions,**

DRESS GOODS of all kinds.
FLANNELS in every shade and quality.
COTTONS, White & Grey.
GINGHAMS, DENIMS & SHEETINGS.
FANCY MUSLINS.
PRINTS in every pattern.
HOSIERY, Childs, Misses' & Women's.
CLOTHING, Men's, Youths' & Boys'.
UNDER-CLOTHING in every style.
SHIRTS, Flannel and Cotton.
BOOTS and SHOES,

From the finest French Kid to the heavy Brogan.

All to be sold at a SMALL ADVANCE on cost.

**GROCERIES**

They will sell at the LOWEST POSSIBLE FIGURES.

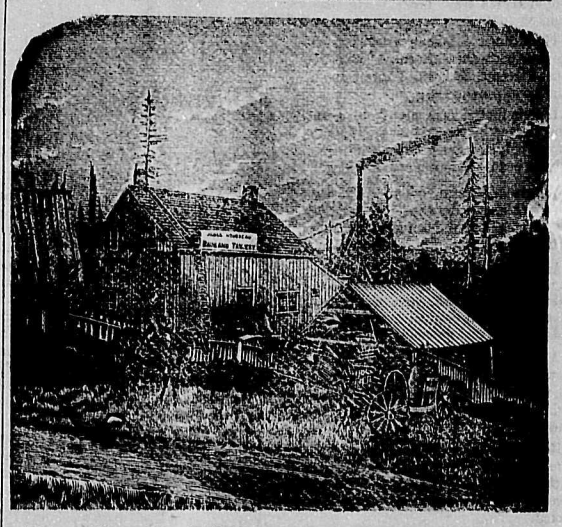
Ogilvie's Strong Baker's Flour, $4.75.
" Hungarian " 5.25.

All classes Farm Produce taken at highest market rates.

Call and see them or write for prices and samples before purchasing elsewhere. Don't forget that MONEY SAVED is MONEY EARNED.

**BLACKETT & WHITE,**

dwfe9m2 LANGLEY, B. C.



## LOOK HERE!

In order to make room for a large consignment of Boots and Shoes for the Spring trade, I will for sixty days sell all descriptions of

**Boots and Shoes at Cost for Cash.**

☞ CALL EARLY AND SECURE BARGAINS.

**JAMES ROUSSEAU,**

dwfe2tc No. 81, COLUMBIA STREET.

## BRITISH COLUMBIA

## LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, Ld.

THOMAS ALLSOP,
HENRY S. MASON,
CUYLER A. HOLLAND, } DIRECTORS.

**HEAD OFFICE, - 56 New Broad St., - LONDON, ENGLAND.**

The Business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a general Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

MONEY TO LOAN on Mortgage at Low Rates. Town Lots and Farming Lands for Sale on easy terms.

Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1887. dwje7tc

## Cow and Calf for Sale.

A GOOD MILCH COW AND CALF for sale. Apply to

dfe11tc R. DICKINSON.

## TO LET.

SEVERAL COMFORTABLE OFFICES over the new Bank Building; all fitted with gas, perfectly ventilated, excellent light and heated with hot water. The Store on Mary Street (underneath the new Bank) is also to let. Apply to

I. B. FISHER,
dja26m1 At Bank of B. C.

## Furnished Rooms

ON COLUMBIA STREET TO LET—either with or without Board. Apply to the Editor of this Paper. djy25tc

## Dress-Making!

**Misses McDOUGALL**

COLUMBIA STREET,

New Westminster, B. C.

☞ Satisfaction guaranteed. dap18tc

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Every Afternoon except Sunday,

BY THE

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At the Company's Steam Printing Establishment, Columbia St.

BY MAIL:

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| For 12 months | $8 00 |
| For 6 months | 4 25 |
| For 3 months | 2 25 |

DELIVERED IN THE CITY:

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| For 12 months | $10 00 |
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| Per month | 90 |
| Per week | 25 |

Payment in all cases (except for weekly rate) to be made in advance.

ADVERTISING RATES FOR THE DAILY.

**Transient Advertisements.**—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; each subsequent consecutive insertion, 2 cts. per line. Advertisements not inserted every day, 5 cts. per line each insertion.

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**Special Notices** among reading matter, 20 cts. per line each insertion. Specials calling attention to advertisements, 10 cts. per line.

Births, Marriages and Deaths, $1 for each insertion; Funeral Notices in connection with deaths, 50 cts. each insertion.

**Auction Sales,** when displayed, charged 25 per cent. less than transient advts. If solid, charged at regular transient rates.

## THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

Issued every Wednesday Morning.

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| Delivered in the City, per year | $3.00 |
| Mailed, per year | 2.00 |
| Mailed, 6 months | 1.25 |

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Cuts must be all metal, and for large cuts an extra rate will be charged. No advt. inserted in either issue for less than $1.

☞ Persons sending in advertisements should be careful to state whether they are to appear in the Daily Edition, or the Weekly, or both.

D. ROBSON, Manager.


## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.


Scientific American.....Munn & Co.
Concert.....Y.M.C.A.
Employment Office.....Fook Wo & Co.



## Daily British Columbian

Saturday Evening, Feb. 18, 1888.


Several parties are applying to Mr. Duncan for a lease of his new hotel.

To-day being pay day with the C. P. R. the pay master's car came in on its usual visit.

Don't forget to remember the sale of Japanese curios at Trapp's auction mart to-night.

The str. Rainbow cleared for Victoria this morning with a small freight and a number of passengers.

The rifles paraded last night and were put through the manual exercise and a few company movements.

Another beautiful day. If the weather continues as it is at present for a couple of weeks the fruit trees will be in blossom.

The annual general meeting of the Westminster board of trade will be held at Hyack Hall next Wednesday night at 7:30.

The steamer Adelaide arrived from up-river ports this afternoon with 20 tons of freight, 29 hogs, 2 horses and a number of passengers.

Letters fifteen days out from England arrived by the last mail. This is exceedingly fast time, but it will probably be beaten before many months.

We are in receipt of the Calgary *Tribune* almanac for 1888. It is well gotten up and contains many valuable statistics and much useful information.

As a toilet article, Ayer's Hair Vigor stands unrivaled. It cleanses the scalp and removes dandruff, cures itching humors, restores the original color to faded and grey hair, and promotes its growth.

A heavy gale from the southwest blew all last night, but for a wonder the telegraph wires sustained no harm and were working to-day the same as usual.

Remember the free temperance lecture to be given by Rev. J. H. Hector in the Skating Rink to-night. A very excellent entertainment may by expected.

Mr. Fred. A. Turner is building two handsome little cottages at the lower end of Agnes street. They will be finished about the middle of next month.

A number of miners from this city and vicinity intend leaving very shortly for the interior to commence summer operations. Quite a number will prospect in the Granite creek country.

Messrs. Walker & Shadwell, of the Bon Marche, have received a magnificent assortment of spring prints the aggregate length of which exceeds four miles. Prices range from 12 cts. to 20 cts. per yard, or $300 per mile. *

No other spring medicine has won for itself such universal confidence as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the most powerful combination of vegetable alteratives ever offered to the public, and is acknowledged by the medical profession to be the best blood purifier.

Another offending Vancouverite was brought over yesterday and transferred to the tender care of Mr. Morsby who will superintend his actions for the next three months. The man's name is Piot and his offense was threatening to shoot his wife.

The first football paactice of the season was held this afternoon. The weather was bright and pleasant and the boys enjoyed the sport very much. A club will be formed some time next week and it is to be hoped all lovers of the sport will go in for it heartily.

In the British Columbia penitentiary summary published a few days ago we omitted to mention that the disbursements in connection with the institution amounted to $34,722 for the year. The name of Mr. T. A. McInnes, the penitentiary steward, was also inadvertantly omitted.

In an item which appeared in this paper yesterday relating to the Bible Society it was stated that sermons on the claims of the Bible and Bible Societies would be preached in the city churches on Thursday. These sermons are to be preached on Sunday (to-morrow). The annual meeting will be held on Thursday.

### Royal Columbian Hospital.

The board of management acknowledges with thanks the receipt of $. from the Brighton Hotel, Hastings. The board would be glad to receive contributions of old clothes for the use of patients. There are many cases where such articles are urgently needed, and the steward will receive with thanks anything of the kind which the generosity of the citizens may prompt them to give.

### The Coal Strike.

In reference to the report of a rich coal strike northeast of the junction, mentioned in our issue of yesterday, some other facts have come to light since, which leave no doubt as to the truth of the report. It appears an Indian discovered the vein some time past, but it was not until a few weeks ago he related the find to a white man, who proceeded to the spot and found the vein as described. The vein is said to be very thick and the quality of the coal excellent. The exact whereabouts of the coal is being kept secret, but fuller particulars will be made public in a short time. The find is likely to prove of incalculable value to this city and district generally.

### Rev. J. H. Hector's Lectures.

From private letters received to-day we learn that this gentleman's lectures in Victoria and Vancouver have given the greatest satisfaction. Mr. Hector is an orator of more than ordinary merit, and we hope our citizens will not miss the opportunity of hearing him while in the city. He has engaged the opera house for lectures on Monday and Tuesday nights. To-night he gives a free temperance lecture in the Skating Rink. On all these occasions he will be assisted by Mrs. Toombs, who is described as one of the sweetest singers who ever visited the province. He will also preach in the Baptist church to-morrow morning, and in the Methodist church in the evening.

### Births, Marriages and Deaths.

From the official blue-book just issued we learn that during the year 1886 there were registered in this province 335 births, 307 deaths, and 212 marriages. Compared with the previous year this shows an increase of 15 births and 19 marriages, and a decrease 17 deaths. The births are distributed by districts as follows: Victoria 179; Nanaimo, 82; Westminster, 40; Kamloops, 14; Yale, 6; Clinton, 4; Cariboo, 4; Kootenay, 4. Of the total number 172 were males and 163 females. Of the 212 marriages there were 105 in Victoria district; Westminster, 37; Nanaimo, 33; Kamloops, 10; Clinton, 8; Cariboo, 7; Yale, 6; Cassiar, 5; Kootenay, 1. Of couples belonging to the same denomination there were: Episcopalians (including Reformed church), 33; Methodists, 32; Presbyterians, 26; Roman Catholics, 18; Baptists and Lutherans, 2 each. There were 98 mixed marriages, that is, marriages where bride and bridegroom were not of the same denomination; and there were 20 marriages between Roman Catholics and Protestants. This is a large number; for as a rule such marriages result in embarrassment, unless one of the parties abandons the religious beliefs once held. The eldest bridegroom was 70 years, and the youngest 19; the eldest bride was a blushing maid of 67, and the youngest lacked one year of sweet 16. Of deaths there were in Victoria district 156; Nanaimo, 68; Westminster, 53; Kootenay, 13; Kamloops, 5; Clinton, 5; Yale, 4; Cariboo, 2; Cassiar, 1. The causes of death were: Zymotic diseases, 52; constitutional, 27; development, 29; violent, 41; local, 134. In Westminster district there is a decrease of 3 births as compared with 1885, a decrease of 7 marriages, and an increase of 11 deaths. Victoria shows a much better record: An increase of 16 births, and a decrease of 1 marriage and 34 deaths.

## Personal.

J. L. Middlebrook, of Vancouver, is in the city.

Capt. Bole, M. P. P., returned from Victoria to day.

Rev. J. H. Hector and Mrs. Toombs arrived from Vancouver to-day.

G. E. Corbould, (Corbould & McColl) is expected to return from Victoria to-morrow.

C. N. Beecher, of the Royal City Planing Mills, went to Victoria yesterday and is expected to return to-morrow.

J. G. McDonald, the contractor, came over from Vancouver this afternoon. Mr. McDonald will leave in a few days for Nova Scotia, to pay his old friends there a visit.

Dr. E. A. Gray, of the San Francisco *Journal of Commerce*, left by the train this afternoon, having finished up his collections in this city, with the exception of the council.

A letter received from Mr. Max Mowat, who is now in California for his health, says he is rapidly gaining strength and hopes to be back in Westminster in a week or two fully recovered in health. This will be good news to Mr. Mowat's many friends.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### The Chief of Police.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—Dear Sir. It has come to my knowledge that the citizens of New Westminster are about to get up a petition to the city council asking them to retain my services for the city during the present year. Permit me through the columns of your valuable paper to publicly thank those citizens for the kind feelings evinced towards me in this matter, but I respectfully request them to take no further trouble in the affair as under no circumstances would I accept any office the present council has within its gift.

FRANK DEVLIN,
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### Legislative Summary.

THURSDAY, Feb, 16.—A number of bills were advanced a stage.—In reference to the Ottawa mission, Hon. Mr. Robson said there were some matters still pending, and the papers could not be made public until they had been completed.—In reply to Mr. Ladner, Hon. Mr. Robson said the lands included in the Sumas dyking act would be administered by the province.—The bill to repeal the Vancouver preservation of peace act was passed.—In moving the second reading of the bill to repeal the small debts court act, Mr. Bole said there were a great many difficulties encountered in the carrying out of the act. It left too much power in the hands of the police magistrates, who assumed the functions of a judge under the act, and it was open to considerable abuse. Instead of leading to cheaper it lead to more expensive legislation. In the city of Vancouver a state of things existed which was a disgrace to any civilized community, where the counsel and magistrate were equally interested, and were thus enabled to run up large costs. Summonses had been issued in Vancouver returnable in three or four hours. The police or stipendiary magistrate had power to issue garnishee orders from which there was no appeal. There was another serious feature in the small debts act; a debtor could collude with some of his creditors, and while a creditor was suing in the ordinary course of the county court, might defeat his end by applying to a police magistrate under the small debts act. He had made many enquiries and found public opinion in Westminster and Vancouver against the continuance of the act. A solicitor who was police magistrate could act both as attorney and judge in the matter of recovering a debt, and he considered that this state of affairs was one that should be removed. Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir said the court had worked well in his district. Hon. Mr. Robson said the act was good in itself, and if some abuses had crept in it did not follow that the act was at fault. They were just on the fringe of the county court system, when all such matters would be handed over to their jurisdiction. Mr. Bole asked to have the matter laid over and he would probably act on the suggestion of the provincial secretary and let the act stand until the inauguration of the county court system.—A long debate took place on the propriety of allowing Chinese to hold pawnbrokers' licenses, during which Mr. Bole expressed the opinion that "John" had been squeezed quite enough, and he moved that the bill come into effect in 2001. Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir said he considered Mr. Bole the most honest lawyer in the province.—Mr. Humphreys said he would not be ready to go on with the impreachment resolutions, and the house adjourned till Monday.


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### The Imperial Parliament.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—In the house of commons to-night Mr. Balfour, resuming the debate, declared that a childish fuss had been made over the prison clothing of Mr. O'Brien. It was hardly worth noticing. The letter he had written during O'Brien's imprisonment, had stated that the prisoner was suffering from weak lungs and indisposition. The health of the prisoner had not been disregarded. Withregard to the allegations of torture he requested the English inspectors to enquire into the facts, and the result was to show no harshness existing. Mr. O'Brien's health had actually improved in prison, and he had gained two pounds in weight. Mr. O'Brien, interrupting, stated that this was inaccurate. He weighed five pounds less on leaving than on entering the prison. Mr. Balfour sarcastically rejoined he would have parliament presented with the official reports of the rise and fall in Mr. O'Brien's health. (Laughter.)

Mr. Balfour continued by saying that the condition of Ireland had immensely improved as compared with the period of Mr. Gladstone's government.

Mr. Gladstone continued the debate. His voice was weaker than usual, but the house maintained such perfect silence that he had no difficulty in making himself heard. His speech was remarkable for its eloquence, and was indeed a rhetorical effort with almost an entire absence of the argumentative style of which Mr. Gladstone is so complete a master. When he apologized for his physical weakness, as shown by his failing voice, saying he was not so young as he once was, the house burst into a whirlwind of sympathetic applause, the liberals and the and the Parnellites rising *en masse* and waving their hats and handkerchiefs at him. He seemed much affected at the incident. At the close of the debate Mr. Parnell's amendment to the reply to the Queen's speech was rejected by a vote of 317 to 229. In the vote on Mr. Parnell's amendment all the liberal unionists present voted with the government. Lord Hartington was absent on account of a severe cold. Mr. Gladstone's short speech in the house of commons to-night in reply to Chief Secretary Balfour was pronounced by old members to be one of the finest oratorical efforts in the parliamentary career of the veteran statesman. Mr. Michael Davitt, greeting Mr. Parnell, enthusiastically in the lobby, cried, "The Grand Old Man is good for fifty years yet," and Mr. Parnell replied, "Yes, he will live to see the triumph of justice."


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| Onions | " | 1 50 @ 0 00 |
| Wheat | " | 1 50 @ 1 75 |
| Oats | " | 1 50 @ 1 75 |
| Peas | " | 1 50 @ 0 00 |
| Hay, | per ton | 22 00 @ 20 00 |
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fe23-tc Secretary.

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